

Fill in this information to identify the case:

United States Bankruptcy Court for the:

Western District of New York
(State)

Case number (if known): _____ Chapter 11

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 201

Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write the debtor's name and the case number (if known). For more information, a separate document, *Instructions for Bankruptcy Forms for Non-Individuals*, is available.

1. Debtor's name

Orchard Park Equity Associates LLC

2. All other names debtor used in the last 8 years

Sheffer Farms

Include any assumed names, trade names, and *doing business* as names

3. Debtor's federal Employer Identification Number (EIN)

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4. Debtor's address

Principal place of business

4078 California Road
Number Street

Orchard Park NY 14127
City State ZIP Code

Erie
County

Mailing address, if different from principal place of business

365 Campus Drive
Number Street

No. 2
P.O. Box

Amherst NY 14226
City State ZIP Code

Location of principal assets, if different from principal place of business

Number Street

City State ZIP Code

5. Debtor's website (URL)

shefferfarms.com

6. Type of debtor

- ☒ Corporation (including Limited Liability Company (LLC) and Limited Liability Partnership (LLP))
☐ Partnership (excluding LLP)
☐ Other. Specify: _____

7. Describe debtor's business*A. Check one:*

- ☐ Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))
☒ Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))
☐ Railroad (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(44))
☐ Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))
☐ Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))
☐ Clearing Bank (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 781(3))
☐ None of the above

B. Check all that apply:

- ☐ Tax-exempt entity (as described in 26 U.S.C. § 501)
☐ Investment company, including hedge fund or pooled investment vehicle (as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 80a-3)
☐ Investment advisor (as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 80b-2(a)(11))

*C. NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) 4-digit code that best describes debtor. See <http://www.uscourts.gov/four-digit-national-association-naics-codes>.*5 3 1 3**8. Under which chapter of the Bankruptcy Code is the debtor filing?**

A debtor who is a "small business debtor" must check the first sub-box. A debtor as defined in § 1182(1) who elects to proceed under subchapter V of chapter 11 (whether or not the debtor is a "small business debtor") must check the second sub-box.

Check one:

- ☐ Chapter 7
☐ Chapter 9

☒ Chapter 11. *Check all that apply:*

- ☐ The debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D), and its aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$3,024,725. If this sub-box is selected, attach the most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if any of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 1116(1)(B).
- ☐ The debtor is a debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 1182(1), its aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$7,500,000, **and it chooses to proceed under Subchapter V of Chapter 11.** If this sub-box is selected, attach the most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return, or if any of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 1116(1)(B).
- ☐ A plan is being filed with this petition.
- ☐ Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b).
- ☐ The debtor is required to file periodic reports (for example, 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission according to § 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. File the *Attachment to Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy under Chapter 11* (Official Form 201A) with this form.
- ☐ The debtor is a shell company as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Rule 12b-2.

- ☐ Chapter 12

9. Were prior bankruptcy cases filed by or against the debtor within the last 8 years?

If more than 2 cases, attach a separate list.

☒ No

☐ Yes. District _____ When _____ Case number _____
MM / DD / YYYY

District _____ When _____ Case number _____
MM / DD / YYYY

10. Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being filed by a business partner or an affiliate of the debtor?

List all cases. If more than 1, attach a separate list.

☒ No

☐ Yes. Debtor _____ Relationship _____

District _____ When _____
MM / DD / YYYY

Case number, if known _____

11. Why is the case filed in this district?

Check all that apply:

☒ Debtor has had its domicile, principal place of business, or principal assets in this district for 180 days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other district.

☐ A bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partnership is pending in this district.

12. Does the debtor own or have possession of any real property or personal property that needs immediate attention?

☒ No

☐ Yes. Answer below for each property that needs immediate attention. Attach additional sheets if needed.

Why does the property need immediate attention? (Check all that apply.)

☐ It poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable hazard to public health or safety.

What is the hazard? _____

☐ It needs to be physically secured or protected from the weather.

☐ It includes perishable goods or assets that could quickly deteriorate or lose value without attention (for example, livestock, seasonal goods, meat, dairy, produce, or securities-related assets or other options).

☐ Other _____

Where is the property?

Number _____ Street _____

City _____ State ZIP Code _____

Is the property insured?

☐ No

☐ Yes. Insurance agency _____

Contact name _____

Phone _____

Statistical and administrative information

13. Debtor's estimation of available funds

Check one:

- ☐ Funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors.
☒ After any administrative expenses are paid, no funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors.

14. Estimated number of creditors

- | | | |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1-49 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1,000-5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 25,001-50,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 50-99 | <input type="checkbox"/> 5,001-10,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 50,001-100,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 100-199 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10,001-25,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> More than 100,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 200-999 | | |

15. Estimated assets

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$50,000 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001-\$10 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001-\$1 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001-\$100,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001-\$50 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001-\$500,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001-\$100 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001-\$1 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001-\$500 million | <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion |

16. Estimated liabilities

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$50,000 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001-\$10 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001-\$1 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001-\$100,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001-\$50 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001-\$500,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001-\$100 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion |
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Request for Relief, Declaration, and Signatures

WARNING -- Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime. Making a false statement in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

17. Declaration and signature of authorized representative of debtor

The debtor requests relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.

I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor.

I have examined the information in this petition and have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on 07/17/2024
MM / DD / YYYY

X /s/ Edward E. Lewis
Signature of authorized representative of debtor

Edward E. Lewis

Printed name

Title Managing Member

18. Signature of attorney

/s/ Samuel L. Yellen

Signature of attorney for debtor

Date

07/17/2024

MM / DD / YYYY

Samuel L. Yellen

Printed name

Samuel L. Yellen, Attorney at Law, PLLC

Firm name

1 Seneca St., 29th Fl. M-2

Number Street

Buffalo

City

NY

State

14203

ZIP Code

(716) 304-2820

Contact phone

sam@yellenlegal.com

Email address

5499892

Bar number

New York

State

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United States Bankruptcy Court for the: Western District of New York
(State)
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Official Form 204**Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 Cases: List of Creditors Who Have the 20 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders****12/15**

A list of creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims must be filed in a Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 case. Include claims which the debtor disputes. Do not include claims by any person or entity who is an *insider*, as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(31). Also, do not include claims by secured creditors, unless the unsecured claim resulting from inadequate collateral value places the creditor among the holders of the 20 largest unsecured claims.

	Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code	Name, telephone number, and email address of creditor contact	Nature of the claim (for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services, and government contracts)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, or disputed	Amount of unsecured claim If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unsecured claim amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in total claim amount and deduction for value of collateral or setoff to calculate unsecured claim.		
					Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured claim
1	John Rummel 2468 Niagara Falls Boulevard Suite 5 Tonawanda, NY 14150	John Rummel (716) 580-0293 john.rummel222@gmail.com	Loans				\$160,000
2	Tahir Bhatti 78 Joanie Lane Amherst, NY 14228	Tahir Bhatti (716)-936-9692 bhatti44710@gmail.com	Loan				\$47,000
3	D'Amoire Construction 4684 Dorothy Place Blasdell, NY 14219	Nora Gregoire (716) 251-0212 nora@damoireconstruction.com	Services				\$38,899
4	Kamran Mazhar 2468 Niagara Falls Blvd. Suite 5 Tonawanda, NY 14150	Kamran Mazhar (917) 327-9655 kamran@signature-wny.com	Loan				\$25,000
5	Morning Star Construction Group 6111 Hoffman Road Springville, NY 14141	Robert Raber (716) 662-3388 bobr@quakermills.com	Services				\$23,763
6	Erie County Water Authority Administrative Office 295 Main Street, Room 350 Buffalo, NY 14203	Lavonya C. Lester (716) 849-8444					\$20,589
7	Estate of William N. Smith 158 Darwin Drive Amherst, NY 14226	Estate of William N. Smith (716) 335-8739 kaikrosdevelopment@yahoo.com	Loan				\$20,000
8	LJ Quigliano II Construction 2395 Lockport Road Sanborn, NY 14132	Larry Quigliano II (716) 731-9008 lquigliano@quigliano.com	Services				\$20,000

Debtor

Orchard Park Equity Associates LLC

Name

Case number (if known)

	Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code	Name, telephone number, and email address of creditor contact	Nature of the claim (for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services, and government contracts)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, or disputed	Amount of unsecured claim If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unsecured claim amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in total claim amount and deduction for value of collateral or setoff to calculate unsecured claim.		
					Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured claim
9	Quaker Millwork and Lumber 77 South Davis Street Orchard Park, NY 14127	Robert Raber (716) 662-3388 bobr@quakermills.com	Services				\$14,188
10	Geoff Weber P.O. Box 101 Perrysburg, NY 14129	Geoff Weber (716) 785-2964 Buellx184@yahoo.com	Loan				\$10,000
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United States Bankruptcy Court for the: Western District of New York
(State)
Case number (If known): _____

Official Form 202

Declaration Under Penalty of Perjury for Non-Individual Debtors

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An individual who is authorized to act on behalf of a non-individual debtor, such as a corporation or partnership, must sign and submit this form for the schedules of assets and liabilities, any other document that requires a declaration that is not included in the document, and any amendments of those documents. This form must state the individual's position or relationship to the debtor, the identity of the document, and the date. Bankruptcy Rules 1008 and 9011.

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Declaration and signature

I am the president, another officer, or an authorized agent of the corporation; a member or an authorized agent of the partnership; or another individual serving as a representative of the debtor in this case.

I have examined the information in the documents checked below and I have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct:

- ☐ *Schedule A/B: Assets—Real and Personal Property* (Official Form 206A/B)
- ☐ *Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property* (Official Form 206D)
- ☐ *Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims* (Official Form 206E/F)
- ☐ *Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases* (Official Form 206G)
- ☐ *Schedule H: Codebtors* (Official Form 206H)
- ☐ *Summary of Assets and Liabilities for Non-Individuals* (Official Form 206Sum)
- ☐ Amended Schedule _____
- ☒ *Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 Cases: List of Creditors Who Have the 20 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders* (Official Form 204)
- ☐ Other document that requires a declaration _____

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on 07/17/2024
MM / DD / YYYY

X /s/ Edward E. Lewis
Signature of individual signing on behalf of debtor

Edward E. Lewis
Printed name

Managing Member
Position or relationship to debtor

**United States Bankruptcy Court
Western District of New York**

In re Orchard Park Equity Associates, LLC

Debtor(s)

Case No.

Chapter

11

VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MATRIX

I, the Managing Member of the corporation named as the debtor in this case, hereby verify that the attached list of creditors is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date: July 17, 2024

/s/ Edward E. Lewis

Edward E. Lewis/ Managing Member
Signer/Title

Lakeshore Savings Bank
3111 Union Road
Orchard Park, NY 14127

Paul Lamparelli
82 Larchmont
Buffalo, NY 14214

Lamparelli Construction Company
590 Kennedy Road
Cheektowaga, NY 14227

John Rummel
2468 Niagara Falls Boulevard
Suite 5
Tonawanda, NY 14150

Tahir Bhatti
78 Joanie Lane
Amherst, NY 14228

Kamran Mazhar
2468 Niagara Falls Boulevard
Suite 5
Tonawanda, NY 14150

Estate of William N. Smith
158 Darwin Drive
Amherst, NY 14226

Geoff Weber
P.O. Box 101
Perrysburg, NY 14129

Erie County Water Authority
Administrative Office
295 Main Street, Room 350
Buffalo, NY 14203

Morningstar Construction Group
6111 Hoffman Road
Springville, NY 14141

Quaker Millwork and Lumber
77 South Davis Street
Orchard Park, NY 14127

D'Amoire Construction
4684 Dorothy Place
Blasdell, NY 14219

LJ Quigliano II Construction
2395 Lockport Road
Sanborn, NY 14132